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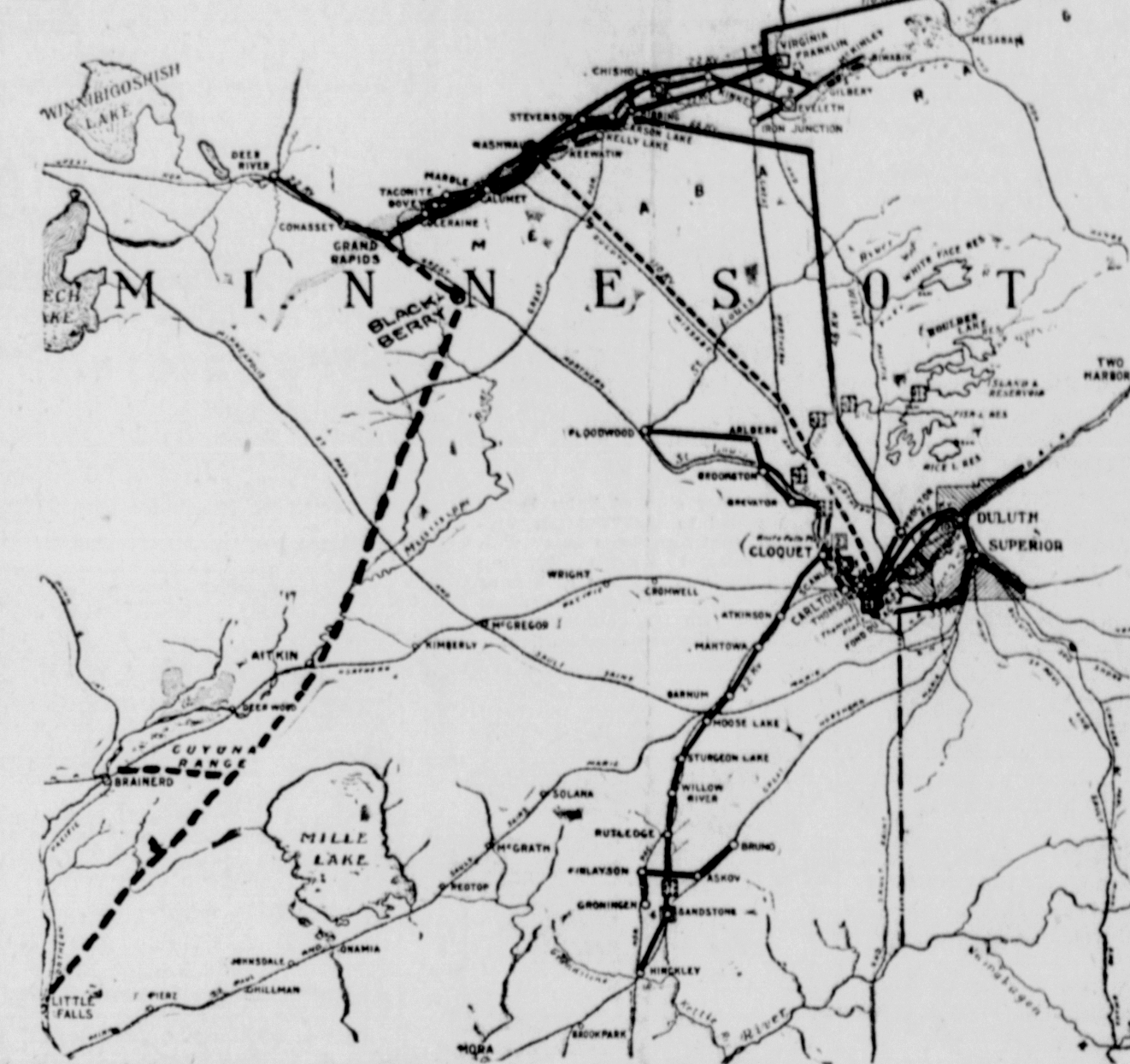
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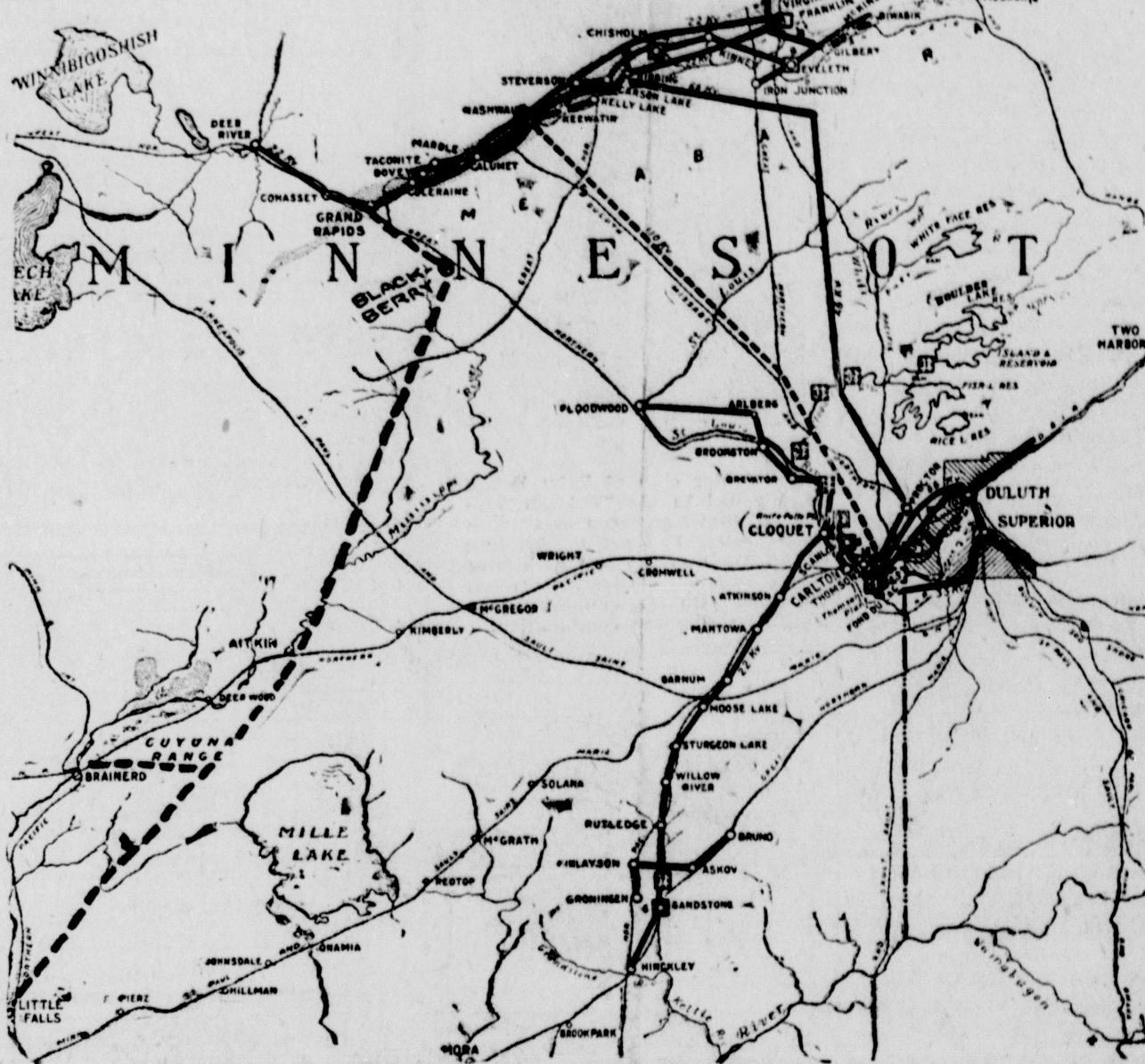
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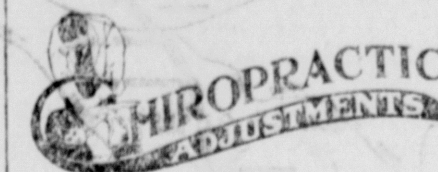
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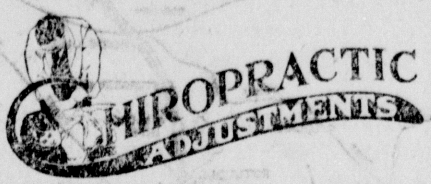
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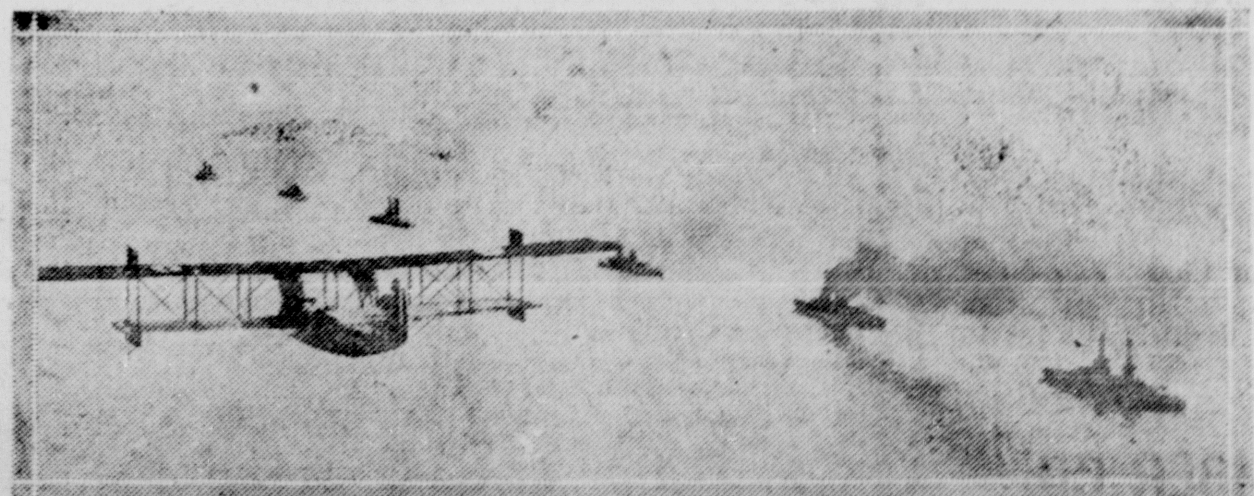


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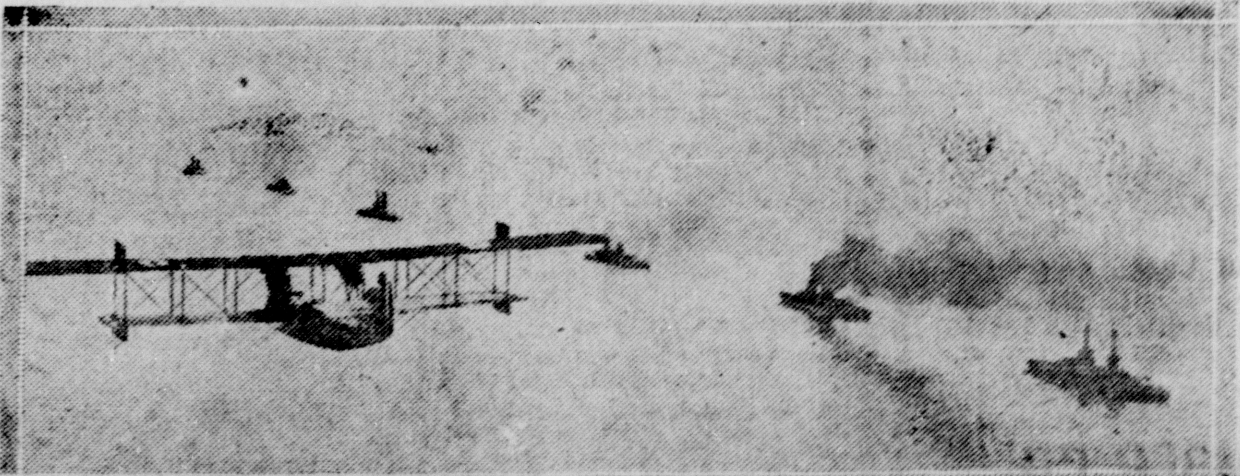


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GREECE is puzzled over which will be the better solution of its problem, king or president. As our electioneering for a president is now under way, it makes some of the Greeks nervous to read about our various candidates, their speeches and literature disseminated.

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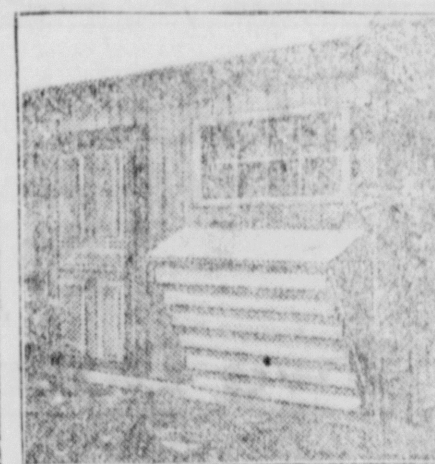
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It is hard to estimate the damage done to the building at this time, before a survey is made of the situation. Insurance in about the sum of \$35,000 was carried on the building. The Birkeland studio carried \$2,000 on stock and fixtures, it is said, and the Peterson Clothing Co., about \$23,000. The Brainerd Office Supply Co., \$1,750. A number of the tenants in the flats on the second floor carried no insurance. E. W. Benson carried \$800 on his furniture, Mrs. Breason \$400, James Gorham and William Demmers, both recent arrivals in the flats, had no insurance, and saved none of their belongings.

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Much credit is due the firemen, for their excellent work at this fire. The dense smoke and intense heat of the flames coupled with the extreme cold weather, with the thermometer hovering 40 degrees below zero, made it a very hard fire to fight. It seemed at one time that the whole building would be consumed, but the firemen succeeded in limiting the blaze and bringing it under control before the walls were damaged.

The Woolworth Company was on the job shortly after the firemen arrived, and prepared five gallons of coffee for the men and furnished dry mittens and wool socks for them.

R. R. Wise, the owner of the Anna block, is at Muddaden, and certain particulars concerning valuations, damages and insurance could not be learned at this time.

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Work of Miss Mary A. McColl Displayed in Farmer Room of the Court House

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Continuing Until Tuesday, January 15th, 2 to 6 P. M. Afternoons, 7:30 to 9 Evenings

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A catalog has been printed by the Dispatch for Miss McColl. Each picture is numbered and titled and values given. They are not for sale. The "Task," being Gisella Loeffler's portrait, is valued at \$250. No. 13 is entitled "A Sun in Lake" (view rear of court house, Brainerd). No. 14 is "Silver Birch" (Lum park, Brainerd).

The public is cordially invited to view the work of this artist. The St. Louis Post-Dispatch has an article, Marguerite Martyn, who last month gave the work of Miss McColl extended mention. She wrote:

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Zero temperatures were reported to be general throughout the state. Snows were heaviest along Lake Erie.

Five below zero was registered at the weather bureau here.

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Des Moines, Iowa, Jan. 5.—The icy grip of a new cold wave struck Des Moines and other Iowa points last night and dropped the temperature from zero of yesterday to 19 below this morning. This is about the coldest it has been for several winters.

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Chicago, Jan. 5.—Trains scheduled into Chicago were completely disrupted. Trains from the west

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Passengers were reported to have suffered in day coaches and pullmans despite efforts of the railroad crew to keep them warm.

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Hundreds of unemployed workers and "floaters" sought shelter in the municipal lodging houses. Police in charge said every place was filled to capacity.

Suburban railroads and all elevated railroads were late.

## WEATHER BUREAU SAYS IT'S "SEVERE"

Washington, Jan. 5.—The cold wave which has its grip on the middle west will extend all over the east and south, the weather bureau forecast today.

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One unidentified man about 45 was found dead in the down town district.

An unidentified woman of about 28 succumbed near her home.

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San Claire Wisconsin reported a temperature of 31 below zero. In Minnesota temperatures as low as 40 below were reported. In Nebraska the thermometer stood all the way from 10 to 25 below. In St. Paul it was 27 below.

In Chicago it was 15 below. Kansas 15 below and Ohio 5 below.

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Dr. Doran treated successfully Wm. Nelson of Belgrade, with the North American State Bank.

Mrs. Chas. Weschnowski, 327 9th avenue south, St. Cloud, stomach and gall bladder trouble.

Mrs. Frank Imhofe, Clear Lake, of a goitre.

Edw. Arnold with the Security State Bank of Eden Valley, stomach trouble.

Henry Donbrooke, St. Joseph, R. 2, of chronic appendicitis, and many others too numerous to mention.

Married ladies must come with their husbands, and children with their parents.

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The visiting exhibition of paintings, the work of Miss Mary A. McColl of St. Louis, Mo., member of the St. Louis Art League, the Artists' Guild and Artists' Guild Sketch club, will be shown at the farmer room of the court house in Brainerd commencing Saturday, January 5th and continuing until Tuesday, January 15th, except Monday evening January 7th. The hours will be afternoons from 2 to 6 o'clock, evenings from 7:30 to 9 o'clock. The exhibit is shown under the patronage of the Brainerd Musical club, League of Women Voters, and Business and Professional Women's club.

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The public is cordially invited to view the work of this artist. The St. Louis Post-Dispatch has an article, Marguerite Martyn, who last month gave the work of Miss McColl extended mention. She wrote:

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Zero temperatures were reported to be general throughout the state. Snows were heaviest along Lake Erie.

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Des Moines, Iowa, Jan. 5.—The icy grip of a new cold wave struck Des Moines and other Iowa points last night and dropped the temperature from zero of yesterday to 19 below this morning. This is about the coldest it has been for several winters.

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Passengers were reported to have suffered in day coaches and pullmans despite efforts of the railroad crews to keep them warm.

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Hundreds of unemployed workers and "floaters" sought shelter in the municipal lodging houses. Police in charge said every place was filled to capacity.

Suburban railroads and all elevated railroads were late.

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Washington, Jan. 5.—The cold wave which has its grip on the middle west will extend all over the east and south, the weather bureau forecast today.

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An unidentified woman of about 28 succumbed near her home.

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Monday will see a return to some reasonable cold weather in most of the districts, the bureau forecast. The bureau reported the temperature in Chicago at 18 below zero today equaled records for low temperatures, reached on January 7, 1912.

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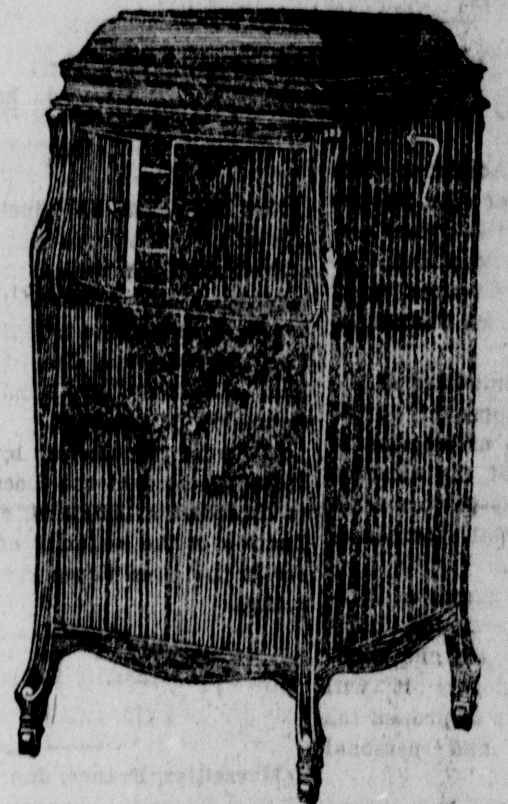
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Realizing the value of publicizing the deadly effects of indulgence in drugs, these police heads evidently welcome the announcement of this splendid woman that she intends to co-operate with them in every way in the work of driving the menace from the country.

Heretofore, they have been badly hampered in their activities by public ignorance on the subject, and have often lacked that civic support which is necessary if any campaign against law-breakers is to prove successful. They believe that a motion picture accurately setting forth the salient features of a nation-wide campaign against narcotics will accomplish a great deal of good.

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The Ramblin' Kid With Hoot Gibson a Real 100 Per Cent Picture

The short grass of the cattle country and the rolling plains and hills of Arizona furnish the settings for one of the most entertaining “western” screen plays which has shown here in a long time. This time it is Universal’s “The Ramblin’ Kid,” in which Hoot Gibson is starred.

This picture had its first local showing at the Lyceum Theatre last night and was well received by a crowd which had evidently gone to the theatre with the vague hope of seeing a western picture that was not made on Long Island or in a Hollywood pasture. It saw its hope realized.

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Second Steno—"Neither would I. It was the boss that thought of it."—Town Topics.

### Long Enough

Jack—"I say! How long did it take you to learn to drive?"

Betty—"Only four cars."—London Opinion.



## Police Chiefs Promise Mrs. Reid Support

From all over the country assurances of support for Mrs. Wallace Reid in her campaign against narcotics, initiated with the appearance of her personally supervised screen drama, "Human Wreckage," which will be shown at the New Park tonight and Sunday, are pouring in from the chiefs of police in nearly all the leading cities.

Realizing the value of publicizing the deadly effects of indulgence in drugs, these police heads evidently welcome the announcement of this splendid woman that she intends to co-operate with them in every way in the work of driving the menace from the country.

Heretofore, they have been badly

hampered in their activities by public ignorance on the subject, and have often lacked that civic support which is necessary if any campaign against law-breakers is to prove successful. They believe that a motion picture accurately setting forth the salient features of a nation-wide campaign against narcotics will accomplish a great deal of good.

Among those who have communicated with Mrs. Reid are such prominent figures as D. J. O'Brien, chief of police of San Francisco, Daniel Sullivan, Washington, D. C., Wm. P. Rutledge, Detroit, Mich., Michael T. Long, Newark, N. J., Frank W. Sommer, St. Paul, and many others in different sections of the country. Their sympathetic letters show that the movement against narcotics is assuming national proportions.



"ST. ELMO" WILLIAM FOX SPECIAL PRODUCTION

Just before the bitter blow that made a reckless drama of his life, St. Elmo (played by John Gilbert) presents the plans of the new church he is going to build for his life-long friend, Murray Hammond (played by Barbara La Marr) gazes lovingly at her fiancé. A picture never to be forgotten, which opens at the Lyceum on Sunday.

## AMUSEMENTS

"The Ramblin' Kid" With Hoot Gibson a Real 100 Per Cent Picture  
The short grass of the cattle country and the rolling plains and hills of Arizona furnish the settings for one of the most entertaining "western" screen plays which has shown here in a long time. This time it is Universal's "The Ramblin' Kid," in which Hoot Gibson is starred.

This picture had its first local showing at the Lyceum Theatre last night and was well received by a crowd which had evidently gone to the theatre with the vague hope of seeing a western picture that was not made on Long Island or in a Hollywood pasture. It saw its hope realized.

It will be shown for the last time tonight at the Lyceum.

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### MUSHROOM SAUCE

1 teaspoon Kitchen Bouquet  
1 tablespoon flour  
salt, pepper, paprika  
1 tablespoon butter  
1 cup cream  
1 cup stock  
1 dried mushroom, cut fine and soaked 15 minutes in stock

Melt butter in saucepan, add flour, cook 2 minutes, add stock with mushroom and cook 10 minutes, stirring often; add cream, Kitchen Bouquet and seasonings. Bring to boiling point and serve over broiled steak.

Then you will know why chefs regard so highly

## KITCHEN BOUQUET

## QUART OF WATER A DAY HELPS KIDNEYS

Eating too much rich food may produce kidney trouble in some form, says a well-known authority, because the acids created excite the kidneys. Then they become overworked, get sluggish, clog up and cause all sorts of distress, particularly backache and misery in the kidney region, rheumatic twinges, severe headaches, acid stomach, constipation, torpid liver, sleeplessness, bladder and urinary irritation.

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## Raising the Family- Sophie's Remark gave Pa a Hunch!

